

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SOFIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8388

INFO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE

AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST

AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

AMEMBASSY PRAGUE

AMEMBASSY WARSAW

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, BU, UR, XH

SUBJECT: FM MLADENOV VISITS MOSCOW

REF: WARSAW 4424; PRAGUE 1828

1. FM PETUR MLADENOV ARRIVED IN MOSCOW JULY 31 ACCORDING  
NEWSPAPERS AUGUST 1. PURPOSE OF VISIT WAS NOT GIVEN.  
VISIT COMES AS SURPRISE, PARTICULARLY AS MLADENOV HAD  
RETURNED FROM OFFICIAL VISIT TO SYRIA ONLY THE PREVIOUS  
DAY, JULY 30.

2. ASIDE FROM REPORTING ON HIS SYRIAN TRIP AND PERHAPS  
CARRYING THE MESSAGE FOR THE SOVIETS, ANOTHER POSSIBLE  
PURPOSE OF MLADENOV TRIP COULD BE PREPARATION FOR ARRIVAL  
OF BCP BOSS TODOR ZHIVKOV FOR RUMORED CRIMEAN CONFERENCE  
OF COMMUNIST PARTY CHIEFS. ZHIVKOV ON JULY 30 WAS VISITING  
IN PROVINCES, BUT NEWSPAPERS GIVE NO INDICATION OF HIS  
WHEREABOUTS YESTERDAY AND TODAY. ALTHOUGH ZHIVKOV'S  
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SCHEDULE IS EXTENSIVELY COVERED, ABSENCE OF REPORT FOR

ONE DAY IS NOT UNUSUAL, HOWEVER.  
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